

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 46320
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Tsukasa TAKEMURA	:	Confirmation Number: 5681
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Application No.: 10/691,006	:	Group Art Unit: 2109
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Filed: October 22, 2003	:	Examiner: D. Holloway
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For: SCHEDULING METHOD, PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR USE IN SUCH METHOD, AND TASK SCHEDULING APPARATUS		

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following Remarks are submitted in response to the First Office Action dated July 30, 2007.